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Application No. 10/628,932

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For: COMPOSITE ARTICLE HAVING THERMOPLASTIC  
ELASTOMER REGION ON THERMOPLASTIC SUBSTRATE

Art Unit: 1711

Examiner: Terresa M. Boykin

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on August 6, 2004. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.